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WITH HB 4150	§	OF TEXAS

SAM HOUSTON ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.'S REPORT AND ATTESTATION
DEMONSTRATING COMPLIANCE WITH HB 4150

Sam Houston Electric Cooperative, Inc. ("Sam Houston EC") timely files this Report and Attestation Demonstrating Compliance with HB 4150¹ as set forth in Commission Staff's Memorandum ("Staff's Memo") filed on October 4, 2021 in the above-referenced project.²

I. Report

Staff's Memo requires each affected utility to file a report containing the information enumerated below.

- 1. A declaration that each distribution line above 1 kilovolt or transmission line above 60 kilovolts owned by the utility that crosses a lake listed in PURA § 38.004(b) meets the applicable vertical clearance requirements established in Rule 232 of the NESC Standard ANSI (c)(2).**

Response: All distribution lines owned by Sam Houston EC that cross a lake listed in PURA § 38.004(b) meet the applicable vertical clearance requirements established in Rule 232 of the NESC Standard ANSI (c)(2). Sam Houston EC owns zero (0) transmission lines above 60 kilovolts that cross a lake listed in PURA § 38.004(b).

- 2. The date on which the company verified each line's compliance with the applicable NESC Standard.**

Response: Sam Houston EC completed a review of all lines relevant to this Report and Attestation in December of 2020.

¹ Acts 2019, 86th Leg., R.S., ch. 1320 ("HB 4150").

² Notice of Deadline to Comply with Sec. 6 of HB 4150 (Oct. 4, 2021). This memorandum set January 14, 2022 as the deadline for reports and attestations concerning compliance with Section 6 of HB 4150.

3. For each utility that self-identified a line that did not meet vertical clearance requirements in an annual report filed in either Project 50596 or Project 51890, a declaration that each line identified in the annual report meets the NESC Standard.

Response: Sam Houston EC did not report any instances of noncompliance in Project Nos. 50596 or 51890.

4. If a line over a lake listed in PURA § 38.004(b) does not meet the NESC Standard:
- a. The name of line;
 - b. The name of lake and the county or counties in which the lake is located;
 - c. A narrative description of actions the utility will take to bring the line into compliance with the NESC Standard; and
 - d. The date by when the line will be brought into compliance.

Response: Not applicable. Please see response to Question No. 1 above.

II. Attestation

Attached hereto as **Exhibit A** is the affidavit of Ryan Brown, Sam Houston EC's Chief Engineer, who attests to the veracity of the information in this Report and Attestation.

Dated: January 7, 2022

Respectfully Submitted,

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AFFIDAVIT OF RYAN BROWN

STATE OF TEXAS §
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COUNTY OF Polk §

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Ryan Brown, who being by me first duly sworn, on oath, deposed and said the following:


1. My name is Ryan Brown. I am the Chief Engineer of Sam Houston Electric Cooperative, Inc. ("Sam Houston EC"). I am over 21 years of age and have personal knowledge of the facts stated herein. Such facts are true and correct.
2. All distribution lines owned by Sam Houston EC that cross a lake listed in PURA § 38.004(b) meet the applicable vertical clearance requirements established in Rule 232 of the NESC Standard ANSI (c)(2).
3. Sam Houston EC owns zero (0) transmission lines above 60 kilovolts that cross a lake listed in PURA § 38.004(b).
4. Sam Houston EC completed a review of all lines relevant to this Report and Attestation in December of 2020.
5. Sam Houston EC did not report any instances of noncompliance in Project Nos. 50596 or 51890.
6. I attest to the veracity of the information contained in the foregoing Report and Attestation filed on behalf of Sam Houston EC in Project No. 52667.

Further the deponent sayeth not.



Ryan Brown

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME, a Notary Public in and for the State of Texas, this 7th day of January, 2022.



Notary Public, State of Texas

